



Department of Conservation and Recreation  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

## **DCR Announces Public Meeting for Forest Management Projects in October Mountain State Forest, Dubuque State Forest and Sandisfield State Forest**

The Department of Conservation and Recreation's (DCR) Bureau of Forestry will be hosting a public meeting at the DCR Western Regional Headquarters, 740 South Street, Pittsfield, MA 01202 on Wednesday, October 23, 2013 at 6 pm to discuss the three forest management projects located respectively in October Mountain State Forest, Dubuque State Forest and Sandisfield State Forest.

All three proposed projects involve primarily the management of northern hardwood forests typified by American beech, yellow birch, and sugar maple using uneven aged forestry techniques.

The website address to view the three proposals titled Schoolhouse Lot, Kings Corner and York Lake is:

<http://www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/conservation/forestry-and-fire-control/proposed-forest-management-projects.html>

The Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR), an agency of the Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs, oversees 450,000 acres of parks and forests, beaches, bike trails, watersheds, dams, and parkways. Led by Commissioner John P. Murray, the agency's mission is to protect, promote, and enhance our common wealth of natural, cultural, and recreational resources. To learn more about DCR, our facilities, and our programs, please visit [www.mass.gov/dcr](http://www.mass.gov/dcr).

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